



Charlie Howard Robison

March 22, 1925 - February 16, 2012

Charlie H. Robison, age 86, slipped through the bonds of his earthly life on February 16, 2012 while he was in the care of his daughter and son following several years of declining health. He was born in Coweta County on March 22, 1925 and was the son of the late C. H. Robison, Sr. and Dollie Wortham Robison. Charlie was a devoted husband to his wife Elizabeth whom he gave up to God in 2004. He was a stalwart advocate and caregiver for her during her last illness. That was a common thread in his life – caring for others, as he helped friends and family alike whenever he saw a need where he felt that he could be of help. For many years, he was one of the faces of the family service station on Temple Avenue in a time when selling gas meant much more than it does in these days. Charlie retired as the maintenance superintendent of First Baptist Church of Newnan. If the doors were open, you could count on the fact that Charlie was there somewhere making sure that “his church” was ready for any event that was ongoing. Charlie loved to cook and the kitchen was second nature to him as he and “Miss Kate Fuller” breathed life into preparation for countless meals at First Baptist Church. After Mrs. Fuller retired, Charlie loved cooking for the annual Thanksgiving dinner for the church and community and countless turkeys gave their all as Charlie joyfully carried out this mission. Charlie was a man of superior dedication to any task he undertook, whether it be work, his church, or caring for friends and family. Even in those days when he could not be out and about doing those things that he loved to do, he would get on his scooter and sit in the

driveway at his care facility and extend a hearty wave to those who passed by. It was his way of staying connected with others. Charlie was blessed by his children; Elizabeth "Libby" Robison Childers and her husband Neal and C. Alan Robison and his wife Kim. Great joy was found in his grandchildren Margaret (Maggie) Childers, Courtney Robison Johnson and Mary Katherine Robison. His great grandchildren are Brayden Johnson and Adyson Johnson. He was devoted to his sister, Louise Jones and her husband Hal. Funeral arrangements are by McKoon Funeral Home at 38 Jackson Street where the family will receive friends on Saturday evening between 6:00 PM and 8:00 PM. The funeral service will be on Sunday, February 19, 2012 at 3:00 PM at Newnan First Baptist Church with Dr. Jimmy Patterson and Reverend Jerry Walker officiating. Interment will be in Oak Hill Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, it would be a fitting gesture to make memorial contributions in Charlie's memory to First Baptist Church of Newnan 15 West Washington Street Newnan, GA 30263. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com. McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

FEB 19. 3:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Newnan
15 West Washington Street
Newnan, GA 30264
(770) 253-0797
info@fbcnewnan.org
<http://www.fbcnewnan.org>

Tribute Wall

CH

“ I am truly sorry to hear of Mr. Charlie's passing. He was a nice man, good to everyone and so kind spoken! He will be sadly missed by so very many! Cindy Moore Hines

Cindy Moore Hines - March 06, 2012 at 01:58 PM

JS

“ Libby and Alan and all or Mr. Charlie's Family I was so sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Charlie. We were out of town and I was not able to attend the funeral. I want you to know how much I loved Mr. Charlie and will miss him.I worked with him for many years at the church. He is in a much better place with the Lord and 'Miss' Elizabeth. My prayers and thoughts are with you all.

Judy Sellers - February 22, 2012 at 11:47 AM

LM

“ I have such fond memories of Mr. Charlie at First Baptist Church. He was a very special person. I am so sorry for your loss. In Christ, Linda Mealor

Linda Mealor - February 22, 2012 at 11:02 AM

EA

“ Libby and Family,I was so sorry to hear about Charlie's death.I know he and Elizabeth are together.I still remamber getting gas from Charlie on Temple Ave.He was a great person.Earlene Scott

earlenescott - February 21, 2012 at 01:03 PM

JB

“ Deepest sympathies to the entire family and the many friends of this special man. What a privilege to have had the opportunity to have crossed paths with both Mr. Charile and Mrs. Elizabeth (I worked with her at Newnan Hospital). The numerous ways he helped and touched our family are too numerous to list here. Wishing you peace.

Jo Anne Grubbs Bryant - February 19, 2012 at 11:52 AM

BB

“ Alan and Libby and Robison Family, there wasn't much if anything I didn't like about "Mr. Charlie". He always had time to listen when I felt the need to complain, and then he'd answer me like it was, like it or not, and usually his answer made more sense than my reason for complaining. Today as I walk the same grounds and halls of the church as Charlie did for many years I can find a multitude of things to grumble and complain about, but then I think about Mr. Charlie and how he'd just fix it if it needed fixing, paint it if it needed painting, and I try to do what he would have done. I truly don't see how he did all he did, but the church and its membership are far better off today because of your Dad's goodness and spirit. He will be missed but he will always be remembered.

Bill Brewer - February 18, 2012 at 11:06 PM

BJ

“ We are so sorry to hear of "Mr. Charlie"'s death. He was always so nice to us when he had the service station. His great smile and sense of humor were just great. We know that all of you will really miss him. Know that he is in a much better place and is smiling down at everyone right now. Enjoy all of your wonderful memories of him.

Barry and Ruby Ann Jackson - February 18, 2012 at 08:44 PM

GT

“ On behalf of the staff and residents at Garrison Personal Care, I extend our deepest sympathy to you, the family, of our dear friend Charlie. From his first day as a resident, he made a tremendous impact on all of us. Charlie and I had a friendship that allowed him to share his heart about anything that might have been a concern to him. We will miss seeing him touring our grounds in his Power Chair. He is now at peace. We are sad but we celebrate his homegoing. Our prayers are with you for God's strength as you go through these difficult times. Gene Turkett Chaplain Garrison Personal Care @ Palmetto Park

Gene Turkett - February 18, 2012 at 07:06 PM

DJ

“ Libby, Alan and Family, We were so sorry to hear of Charlie,s death. I know He and Your Mamma are having a great reunion and God has him a super helper. Charlie was a extra special Daddy, Friend and helper to many people and I know how he loved His Church. May God give You love and unstanding to help you make it through these difficult times. God loves you and we do too, Mr. Don and Miss Mildred Jones

Don and Mildred Jones - February 18, 2012 at 10:05 AM

RM

“ Mr. Charlie never missed an opportunity to minister to others. He was man of values and he shared his faith without reservation. We should all look to his life as a model for Christian living. God bless you Charlie. You touched so many lives.

Rick & Rita Melville - February 18, 2012 at 09:08 AM

SW

“ I remember Mr.Charlie cooking the Thanksgiving meal for First Baptist and since we lived next door to Rev. Helms and family we got to sample some of his delicious Southern dressing every year. I don't think I will ever eat any that good in my whole life. He seemed like such a sweet man from what all I heard people saying about him around our county. My deepest sympathy is with the entire family and I will be praying for you all.

Susan W. - February 18, 2012 at 07:45 AM

PE

“ Alan and Libby, we were so saddened to hear of Mr. Charlie's passing. He was quite a man. I will cherish the times I got to spend with him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family during this difficult time.

Preston and Susan Edwards - February 17, 2012 at 08:27 PM

GB

“ To the family of Charlie: Charlie and my wife Alice go a long way back. When he lived on Sunny South St next door to us they were great neighbors. Charlie and I would go fishing and tell some tall tales. I enjoyed taking him to get his hair cut and stop by Sprayberry's for lunch. I will miss seeing him on Sundy at church..
Glenn and Alice Bexley

glenn bexley/alice bexley - February 17, 2012 at 08:02 PM

KG

“ Elizabeth and family, We are thinking about you and praying for you. Your dad was one of the best! I am planning on being at the service on Sunday. We love you lots! Love, Kathy Grubbs

Kathy Grubbs - February 17, 2012 at 03:42 PM

JW

“ Heaven has received another of First Baptist Church's fine Christian men. "Mr. Charlie" was such a wonderful person to all..He never met a stranger and was always ready with a warm smile and gentel touch..He has gone home and is in the presence of family whom he loved so much and in the arms of his Heavenly Father...you must be so proud of him but just know that all your wonderful memories will comfort you..Sincerely

Judi Worth - February 17, 2012 at 12:52 PM

RS

“ Dear Alan, Libby and the entire family, We are so sad to hear of Mr. Charlie's passing, yet happy for him to be with Jesus. We loved Mr. Charlie so and I was honored to play for your Mom's service when she passed. He was always so glad to see us and the last time I, Priscilla, saw him at church, he was still saying, "I miss seeing you up there, and hearing you play". We are going out of town on Sat. for the week, but I wanted you all to know that we will be praying for you during this time, that Mr. Charlie was much loved and will be sorely missed. With much love Roger and Priscilla Stone

Roger and Priscilla Stone - February 17, 2012 at 10:56 AM